## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS EL PASO DIVISION

LEAGUE OF UNITED LATIN AMERICAN	S	
CITIZENS, et al.	S	
Plaintiffs, V.  GREG ABBOTT, et al.,  Defendants.	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$	Case No. 3:21-cv-00259 [Lead Case]
	<i>y</i>	
ROY CHARLES BROOKS, et al.	(	
	Š	
Plaintiffs,	Š	
V.	S	
	S	Case No. 1:21-cv-00988
	Š	[Consolidated Case]
Greg Abbott, et al.,	Š	
	Š	
Defendants.	2	

## STATE DEFENDANTS' UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR LEAVE TO EXCEED PAGE LIMITS FOR THEIR RESPONSE TO THE MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION

Greg Abbott, Governor of the State of Texas, in his official capacity, and John Scott, Secretary of State of Texas, in his official capacity, respectfully request an extension of the twenty-page limit set by Local Rule CV-7(d)(3) for their Response to the Motion for Preliminary Injunction (ECF 39). The Governor and the Secretary of State seek permission to file a motion that does not exceed 50 pages.

The extension is sought to ensure that the Governor and the Secretary of State have adequate opportunity to point out the ramifications of a preliminary injunction.

The undersigned counsel consulted with counsel for the Plaintiffs, who have represented that Plaintiffs do not oppose the requested extension.

Based on the foregoing, the Governor and the Secretary of State respectfully request that their

unopposed motion for leave to exceed page limits be granted.

Date: December 20, 2021 Respectfully submitted.

KEN PAXTON
Attorney General of Texas

/s/ Patrick K. Sweeten
PATRICK K. SWEETEN

Deputy Attorney General for Special Litigation

BRENT WEBSTER patrick.sweeten@oag.texas.gov First Assistant Attorney General Tex. State Bar No. 00798537

WILLIAM T. THOMPSON

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL Deputy Chief, Special Litigation Unit

P.O. Box 12548 (MC-009) will.thompson@oag.texas.gov Austin, Texas 78711-2548 Tex. State Bar No. 24088531

Tel.: (512) 463-2100 Fax: (512) 457-4410

COUNSEL FOR STATE DEFENDANTS

## **CERTIFICATE OF CONFERENCE**

I certify that on December 20, 2021, I conferred with counsel for Plaintiffs about the foregoing motion and that counsel is unopposed to Defendants' requested extension.

/s/ Patrick K. Sweeten
PATRICK K. SWEETEN

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that a true and accurate copy of the foregoing document was filed electronically (via CM/ECF) on December 20, 2021, and that all counsel of record were served by CM/ECF.

/s/ Patrick K. Sweeten
PATRICK K. SWEETEN